IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE.

In re Application of: Attorney Docket No.: AUS920020367US1 ROESNER ET AL.

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Confirmation No.: Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR 8559 SELECTIVE COMPILATION OF INSTRUMENTATION ENTITIES

A DIGITAL DESIGN

INTO A SIMULATION MODEL OF

AMENDMENT A UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated September 27, 2006, having a shortened statutory period set to expire December 27, 2006.

Please amend the above-identified application as indicated below.